

1. The best education comes from what you learn outside school.
2. School assemblies are a waste of time.
3. All New Zealand secondary schools should be single sex.
4. New Zealand / Aotearoa is not the safe country we like to think it is.
5. Clean green New Zealand / Aotearoa is just a marketing campaign to attract tourists.
6. New Zealand / Aotearoa should fix its own problems before helping other countries.
7. It is time the New Zealand / Aotearoa flag was changed.
8. New Zealand/Aotearoa is really two countries – Auckland and the **real** Aotearoa.
9. New Zealanders are not ambitious enough.
10. Genetic engineering is the way of the future.
11. Technology is responsible for most of our problems today.
12. Exploring space wastes money that would be better spent here on Earth.
13. Experimenting on animals to improve life for humans is a good thing.
14. Breaking copyright to download music is not really a crime.
15. Body piercing should be banned.
16. Texting is just a way of avoiding **real** communication.
17. The media make teenagers worry too much about body image
18. Spending time in the mall is the modern way to relax.
19. Team sports are boring compared with individual sports.
20. New Zealanders spend too much time watching sport and not enough time enjoying the arts.
21. New Zealanders pay too much attention to sport and too little attention to fitness and health.
22. Good role models are important for teenagers.
23. Part-time work exploits school students.
24. Young people contribute more to society than adults know.
25. Having friends is more important than having money.
26. The best thing adults can give young people is time.
27. Being successful in today's world means knowing your culture.
28. New Zealand/Aotearoa deals well with race issues.
29. We have much to learn from our tipuna/ancestors.
30. Family/whānau are more important than friends.